

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (original): A bag comprising a bottom wall (51) and four side-wall portions (11, 21, 31, 41) that extend along respective edges of the bottom wall (51), and further comprising a front wall (61) that connects with said side-wall portions, wherein a bag strap (3) has two ends that are connected to a first side-wall portion (11) by means of a connecting fitting (12), and wherein the strap (3) extends through a strap transit fitting on the bag (1), characterised in that the strap transit fitting (40) is attached to a second side-wall portion (21) located immediately opposite the first side-wall portion (11); in that the fitting (12) connecting the strap ends is able to pivot in the plane of the first side-wall portion (11); and in that the strap is arranged to lie in flat abutment with and along the first and the second side-wall portions and in flat abutment with and along the intermediate third side-wall portion (31).

Claim 2 (original): A bag according to Claim 1, characterised by support feet (44) disposed on the outside of the third side-wall portion, to receive the strap (3) between the feet (44).

Claim 3 (currently amended): A bag according to Claim 1 ~~or 2~~, characterised in that the first and the second side-wall portions (11, 21) are shorter than the third and fourth side-wall portions (31, 41).

Claim 4 (currently amended): A bag according to Claim 1 ~~any one of Claims 1—3~~ characterised in that the outside of the bottom wall (51) is upholstered.

Claim 5 (currently amended): A bag according to Claim 1 ~~any one of Claims 1—4~~, characterised in that that the front wall (61)

is a lid that is hinged along the third side wall.

Claim 6 (original): A bag according to Claim 5, characterised by zip fasteners (74) that join the free edges of the lid (61) to the first, second and fourth side-wall portions.

Claim 7 (currently amended): A bag according to Claim 1 ~~any one of Claims 1—6~~, characterised in that the strap (3) has a length adjustment fitting (40) disposed in the vicinity of the fourth side-wall portion (41) so as not to interfere with the strap transit fitting (40) when displacing the strap (3) to establish two identical shoulder loops (45).